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- 1. From November 1950 through January 1951 Chinese Communist authorities have executed elleged Nationalist agents to the following approximate numbers: Kwangtung, 70,000; Kwangsi, 90,000; and Jukien, 50,000. They have arrested approximately 15,000 persons in Shanghai, 5,000 of whom are in Ward Road Jail.
- 2. In early March Chinese Communist troops in Fukien, with the approval of the authorities, were dragging idols out of temples, shooting them and destroying them. Undesirable elements are being shot by troops under the slogan, "All foodstuffs to government granaries." On 18 March Fukien authorities sponsored demonstrations against the rearmament of Japan. In late March mass arrests were being made in Plingtian (119-47, 25-58).

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